

February 9, 1925.

[H. R. 4461.]

[Public, No. 381.]

CHAP. 164.—An Act To provide for the payment of certain claims against the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota.

Chippewa Indians,
Minn.
Payment to chiefs of
Mille Lac Band of, for
services, etc.
Vol. 35, p. 619.

Receipts in full re-
quired.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized to pay out of any money in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of the Chippewa Indians of the State of Minnesota, proceeds of the final judgment obtained in the Court of Claims against the United States in case numbered 30447 entitled "The Mille Lac Band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota against the United States," the following sums: To Wah-we-yea-cumig and Ain-dus-o-geshig, Mille Lac chiefs, \$5,000 each; to Me-ge-zee, a Mille Lac chief, \$500; to the heirs of Go-gee, a Mille Lac chief, \$500; to the heirs of Nay-gwa-nay-be-ke-wain-zee, a Mille Lac chief, \$500; upon the execution by each, or their legal representative, of a receipt in full for all claims and demands against the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota, or any band thereof, for services rendered and money expended in connection with the preparation or prosecution of the said case.

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[H. R. 5096.]

[Public, No. 382.]

CHAP. 165.—An Act To authorize the incorporated town of Sitka, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding \$25,000 for the purpose of constructing a public school building in the town of Sitka, Alaska.

Sitka, Alaska.
May issue bonds for
school building.

Special election to
authorize.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the incorporated town of Sitka, Alaska, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding \$25,000 for the purpose of constructing a public school building in the town of Sitka, Alaska.

SEC. 2. That before said bonds shall be issued a special election shall be ordered by the common council of the town of Sitka, at which election the question of whether such bonds shall be issued shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said town of Sitka whose names appear on the last assessment roll of said town for municipal taxation. Thirty days' notice of such election shall be given by publication thereof in a newspaper printed and published and of general circulation in said town before the day fixed for such election.

Conduct of election.

SEC. 3. That the registration for such election, the manner of conducting the same, and the canvass of the returns of said election shall be, as near as practicable, in accordance with the requirements of law in general or special elections in said municipality, and said bonds shall be issued only upon condition that 60 per centum of the votes cast at such election in said town shall be in favor of issuing said bonds.

Interest rate, sale,
etc.

SEC. 4. That the bonds above specified, when authorized to be issued as hereinbefore provided, shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed by the common council of Sitka, not to exceed 6 per centum per annum, payable semiannually, and shall not be sold for less than their par value, with accrued interest, and shall be in denominations not exceeding \$1,000 each, the principal to be due in twenty years from date thereof: *Provided, however,* That the common council of the said town of Sitka may reserve the right to pay off such bonds in their numerical order at the rate of \$2,000 thereof per annum from and after the expiration of five years from their date. Principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the town treasurer or at such bank

Proviso.
Redemption.

Payment of principal
and interest.

in the city of New York, in the State of New York, or such place as may be designated by the common council of the town of Sitka, the place of payment to be mentioned in the bonds: *And provided further*, That each and every such bond shall have the written signature of the mayor and clerk of the said town of Sitka and also bear the seal of said town.

Signatures and seal required.

SEC. 5. That no part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose other than specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only in such amounts as the common council shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the order and direction of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes.

Use of funds restricted.

Sale of bonds.

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CHAP. 166.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to pay certain funds to various Wisconsin Pottawatomi Indians.

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[H. R. 7239.]

[Public, No. 383.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the unexpended balance of approximately \$2,978.05 of the appropriation in the Act of March 2, 1917 (Thirty-ninth Statutes at Large, page 991), for the support and civilization of the Wisconsin Band of Pottawatomi Indians residing in the States of Wisconsin and Michigan, as reappropriated by the Act of February 14, 1920 (Forty-first Statutes at Large, page 432), may, in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior, be paid proportionately to such of said Indians as have not received their full shares of the benefits of the appropriation.

Wisconsin Band of Pottawatomes, Wis. and Mich.

Payment to members of, not receiving benefits of former appropriation.

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CHAP. 167.—An Act To diminish the number of appraisers at the port of Baltimore, and for other purposes.

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[H. R. 7918.]

[Public, No. 384.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be at the port of Baltimore one appraiser of merchandise instead of two as now provided, and the said appraiser at Baltimore shall receive a salary of \$4,500 per annum, payable out of the appropriation for expenses of collecting the revenue from customs.

Customs. Appraiser at Baltimore, Md., limited to one.

Vol. 41, p. 883.

Such parts of the Act of August 24, 1912, chapter 355, section 1, Thirty-seventh Statutes, page 434, and the reorganization of the customs service made by the President thereunder as are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act and all other laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent laws repealed.

Vol. 37, p. 434.

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CHAP. 168.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, and for other purposes, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1915," approved August 1, 1914.

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[H. R. 8086.]

[Public, No. 385.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 8 of the Act of August 1, 1914 (Thirty-eighth Statutes at Large, pages 582, 590), be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding after the

Chippewa Indians, Minn.

White Earth high-school teachers to be paid from tribal fund of.